

BRITISH MAKE MORE GAINS ON TWO FRONTS

They Gain Ground and Take Prisoners at Acre River— Also Take Large Supply of Both From Turks

The Acre river, a stream in France of brook-like proportions running through swampy ground, has been again the scene of triumphant fighting by the British, who made splendid advances on Saturday on either bank. Had's forces are now within a few hundred yards from Petit Miramont, to the south, while the enemy's positions before Miramont, on the north bank, have been captured during the operations, and 12 officers and 761 men were captured.

Sunday the enemy counter-attacks advancing in three waves with bodies of supporting troops, but were repulsed with heavy losses. A remarkable advance, and one pointing to the utter demoralization of the German, is recorded in the British official report, which says: "We suffered no casualties."

Important gains have also been made by the British in Macedonia which, in addition to gaining all and more than their objectives, netted 1,999 prisoners, including officers (2 of whom were regimental and 3 battalion commanders). Five machine guns, 2,500 rifles, and a large quantity of ammunition were captured. The stores also fell into the hands of the British. The advance of Saturday brought the British position well south of Kut-el-Amara, and practically making the envelopment of a town complete.

Amend Qualifications —For School Trustees

On Mr. Boyle, minister of education contemplates introducing legislation amending the present legislation practically abolishing the property qualification for school trustees in accordance with a suggestion made recently by the Calgary school board. Amendments will likely be brought in to enfranchise the wife and the son of a daughter over 21 years of age living at home, or any land owner in rural districts. At present only the actual owner who is assessed for the land has a vote in school matters and in districts where there is a preponderance of bachelors it is difficult to get a school property owner. The W. A. at the recent convention recommended the extension of the franchise in school affairs to the wife of every man entitled to vote at present. The government looks with favor on these requests and it is likely that these matters will be brought to the table to receive consideration after the speech from the throne has been passed.

Says Deutschland Captured by British

That the merchant submarine Deutschland has been captured and that he may have been captured with 150 other German submarines, was the statement made at Baltimore Friday by William Palmer, an engineer of the American transport liner Manigault. Palmer said that the British had captured 400 enemy submarines and that 187 of them were in Plymouth, captured together and in the centre of a huge network of chains attached to buoys and wharves.

U. S. Representatives Continue Relief Work

Representatives of the American commission for relief in Belgium will not withdraw from the occupied parts of Belgium and northern France, as previously had been arranged, but will remain for the present, it is now stated. The commission received a dispatch from its office in Rotterdam stating that at a meeting held in Brussels, the German authorities announced that all representatives of the commission might remain in Belgium, and that the French and British authorities would not force the same fleeing as heretofore.

U. S. Getting Ready For The Worst

There are strong indications that unless some international development precipitates immediate action, President Wilson's next step in the crisis with Germany will be to proclaim a few days before congress adjourns for the session, a week from next Saturday. The belief still is prevalent in official quarters and at the capital that the president intends to ask congress for authority to protect American ships from illegal submarine attacks, and as he is known to want no session if it can be avoided it is regarded as certain that he will address a joint meeting of the senate and house before March 4th.

It was stated authoritatively again, however, that nothing toward that end had been done since the president visited the capital and discussed the subject with senators Saturday evening. Although recognizing the existence of a military emergency, the president has refused to call for a resolution which would give the president authority to deal with an emergency in the night after an emergency session. Administration leaders are satisfied that if such power is sought it will be given. The minority contention is that the executive now has power to use the nation's armed forces short of war, and that if necessary the president could be called into session quickly.

Armed Forces to Enforce Neutrality

Secretary Lansing and Assistant Attorney-General Warren urged the senate judiciary committee to pass a bill authorizing the president to use the armed forces of the United States to enforce its neutrality obligations, particularly with reference to armed vessels of a belligerent interned in ports of the United States which seek to escape. The bill would make it lawful for the president to employ the land and naval forces "to detain universal, public or private, foreign or domestic, in order to enforce compliance with or to suppress the violations of the United States under the law of nations." It also would empower the president to employ such forces "to enforce any or all other obligations imposed upon the United States by the law of nations," by treaty or convention or by statutes of this government.

German Casualties Now Over 4,000,000

Casualties in the German army, exclusive of colonial troops, reported in the German official bulletin for the month of January, 1917, totaled 77,534 officers and men killed, wounded, prisoners or missing. The total casualties from the last October, 1,645; missing 11,874; wounded 48,109; total 77,534. This report shows these casualties being the total of German killed and those who died of wounds or sickness to 988,229, and the total casualties since the war began to 4,087,692.

Interesting Book on Western Water Power

"Water Power of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta," a well bound and attractively illustrated volume just issued by the commission on water power, forms a valuable contribution to the authentic literature respecting the natural resources of Canada. This report comprises the results of special surveys by the commission of conservation and a compilation of materials and a compendium of all available data on the subject, it is particularly valuable for reference purposes.

GREEKS HAVE NOT GIVEN UP ARMS YET

The French, British and American legations at Athens have published a statement explaining the reasons for the continuation of the blockade. The chief reason is that the representatives of the extreme ultimatum to the Greek government, especially with reference to the delivery of arms, have not been fulfilled completely.

The submarine terror has been raging for nearly three weeks, and more foodstuffs is going into England than ever before.

Blockade is Not Cutting Much Ice With The Allies

Reports from New York announce the sailings of numerous British boats despite the sub blockade. A press dispatch from New York says:

British and French passenger steamers, each with a passenger afterdeck, as an ever present reminder of submarine peril, are making scheduled sailings from this port and arriving from Europe. The Orduna which left Liverpool with passengers and cargo after the German liner Chicago sailed yesterday for Bordeaux with ninety United States citizens in her cabin. Altogether eight departed Monday for European ports. The Doehra, the first United States vessel from New York to brave the sailings of numerous British boats despite the sub blockade. A press dispatch from New York says:

The French liner electrically lighted La Foreaine left Bordeaux at 1 a. m. Tuesday, according to a cablegram received by the line's agents in New York. Her destination is New York.

Forerunners Are Wanted At Once

There are wanted at once 250 loggers, teamsters, millmen, axemen and sawyers or forerunners for overseas. Extra pay will be authorized from the time operations are begun overseas.

Regular pay and allowances of the C. E. F. units while mobilizing in Canada. Relaxations from ordinary physical standards as laid down for infantry. For full particulars and information apply to the Headquarters Forestry Company, Room 352, Alberta House, Calgary, Alta.

Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, will continue to remain in Belgium in the violation of the Belgian relief work will still go on under the auspices of the men now in charge of its administration.

A law has been passed by the Australian government, according to a dispatch from Melbourne, forbidding the departure of women or children for Europe under any circumstances.

The United States administration espionage bill, providing severe penalties for spying or concealing information of a national defense and punishing conspiracies to violate American neutrality was passed through the United States senate by a vote of 60 to 10.

The occupation by two Italian battalions of Koniz, in western Greece, near the Albanian border, is reported from Athens. The Greek authorities at Koniz are reported to have withdrawn southwestward to Janina.

Canadian units in England have been ordered to turn their activities partially to vegetable growing this spring with a view to augmentation of the supply of home grown food. Suitable plots on camp districts are to be cultivated by the soldiers.

It is officially announced that Plymouth has been designated further station to all ships except those of the allies. All other vessels entering the harbor are punishable under the provisions of the Realm Act and liable to detention.

President J. P. Griffin of the Chicago Board of Trade has telegraphed to the interstate commerce commission and to the president of the eastern railroads insisting that unless an immediate order were placed on all prohibited shipments of Chicago to the coast and foodstuffs the country will face the danger of anarchy and rioting.

Immigration officials examining the passengers on the steamer Frederick VIII, the ship carrying the German embassy and consular officials in the United States, have been working on the coverage passengers at Halifax. Their attention will be paid chiefly to passengers who might have been in contact with the German embassy in London, and are being kept back to the fatherland.

British in Naval Battle Off Brazil

An officer of the British cruiser Glasgow has confirmed the reports of a recent naval battle off Fernando de Noronha, 125 miles off the east coast of Brazil, according to the newspaper "Lancet."

The Glasgow, however, took no part in the battle. Her commander received a report of the fighting on the following day, through a wireless message from the British cruiser Anshelst, which alone gave battle to the German raiders.

Before 6 o'clock in the evening the Anshelst sighted some steamers, which she signalled to come nearer. They did not. Then it was seen that the vessels, not two, as at first supposed, but three large steamers, were maneuvering and clearing for action. Almost immediately they opened fire.

The Anshelst returned the fire and steamed toward the enemy, where the German raider was seen to fight in the direction of Fernando de Noronha, but continued firing, with the Anshelst in pursuit. The real fight occurred near Fernando de Noronha. One of the raiders, seriously, was observed to be sinking.

The Anshelst, however, suffered slight damage, and had a few wounded and one man killed.

Spies Are Arrested

Agents of the department of justice in New York arrested two men last Monday night charged with violating the federal law against carrying on a military enterprise against a foreign country. They are accused of conspiring to carry on such an enterprise in England to be sent to the United States and then forwarded to Germany.

HOME GATHERING.

The following is clipped from the Vernon (Mo.) Advocate:

About 45 or 50 of the relatives of Mrs. Jane Gibson, including sons, daughters and grandchildren and great grandchildren, also several friends gathered at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Harris on Wednesday, bringing with them well filled baskets. Mrs. Gibson four sons, Geo. M. and Charles V. of Redcliff, Alta. Canada, Levi M. of Lethbridge, and Sam K. of Kayes, Wyo. were all present. Their northern climate seemingly has agreed with them, for their combined heights are 28 feet and 6 inches; combined weight 748 pounds; and combined age 505 years. Mrs. Gibson will be 82 years old this month.

CHURCH NOTICES

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—At 11 o'clock forenoon the sermon will be on "The Cheer and Joy of Jesus." At 7.30 p. m. the subject will be "The Sealed Book Opened." All are welcome; no pew rents.

Prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7.30 p. m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

Friday—Evening and intercession at 7.30 p. m. Choir practice at 8 p. m. Sunday—Morning service at 10 a. m. Holy communion at 8; matins at 11. Sunday school at 2.30. Evening at 7.30 p. m.

Monday—Jr. W. A. Wednesday—Special Lenten service at 7.30 p. m. Thursday—W. A. business meeting in the parish hall at 8 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rel'd's Hall. Pastor, Rev. F. T. White. Morning service, 10 o'clock; subject "The Snow as God's Servant." Evening service, 7.30 p. m., subject "Burdens Beatable and Unbearable." Tuesday—Young People's Union, meeting at 8 p. m. The Sunday school will resume at 12 o'clock and the children's service at 2.30 p. m.

UNITED BIBLE CLASS.

The class meets in the Presbyterian church on Sabbath at 2.30 afternoon. All are welcome. The attendance is increasing. Topic next Sunday: "Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand." John 6:1-14.

Says Critical Period Of War is in Sight

The Earl of Derby, secretary of state for war, speaking at Bolton Saturday, expressed the opinion that the critical period of the war would occur in the next few months. "I would be a false friend," he said, "if I did not warn your country that the war is going to be long continued and the struggle even more bitter than in the past. It can only be won by everyone doing his utmost. The three things most vital are money, men and munitions. Money and munitions are being supplied in large quantities. Men we want and must have. The nation will have to make greater sacrifices in the way of giving its manhood to fight its battles. You will not win the war by saying you have won it."

"I believe we are going to see the critical period of the war in the new few months. We must face it with courage. I confidently predict it will be a successful six months for us but at the same time I do not think it will be a walkover."

Hat Boys Win Championship

Neither the St. Mary's or the Crystal hockey teams, of Calgary, would guarantee to come to Medicine Hat for the return games in the finals for the hockey championships, as Mr. L. J. Chown, president of the Alberta Hockey Association, has awarded the championships in the Junior and Juvenile leagues to the High School and St. John's of Medicine Hat. Credit is due the Atlantic Association and Mr. L. J. Chown, president, for their stand they have taken, in the interests of the game. Mr. Beattie, the local representative of the association, concurs with the decision of the president, and is naturally gratified to see the federal law against carrying on a military enterprise against a foreign country. They are accused of conspiring to carry on such an enterprise in England to be sent to the United States and then forwarded to Germany.

Huns Will Their Own Boats

The Minneapolis Journal says: "Should the German fleet leave the coast it will be destroyed, not by the British fleet, but by German submarines that have been trapped in British waters, according to the belief of Mr. and Mrs. Max Le Host, just returned from France and England, who are appearing at the Germania vaudeville theatre this week. "The Le Hosts declared that the British have captured so many German submarines that Germany alarmed, has ordered U-boat crews to blow up their boats when they are trapped in nets. Five times, they said, boats on which they travelled were chased by submarines, and four of the boats which chased them were captured and taken to Havre, France, where they later saw them."

Small Increase in Submarine Losses

In his speech in the house of commons Wednesday Sir Edward Carson, first lord of the admiralty, said the submarine menace recently had grown until its extent had become grave. The menace had not yet been solved but measures which had been adopted, he said, would gain it by degrees. Sir Edward informed the house that an anti-submarine department had been established and was admirably composed of the most experienced and capable men in the navy. The number of armed merchant ships had been increased 472 per cent in the last two months. In the first 18 days of February, Sir Edward announced, 89 British neutral steamers of more than 1,000 tons had been lost. Their total tonnage aggregated 268,000. This was compared with a loss of 65 vessels of 182,000 tons the first 18 days of January.

By the end of the present great year, which closes on March 31, the revenue of the Dominion arising out of the oil and business profits of good ten million dollars. During the next fiscal year it is expected that an additional several millions will be realized. There has been a considerable increase in business profits during the current fiscal year.

NEW SCHEME TO MOBILIZE RECRUITS

Urban Regiments Are to be Revised—Will Form Home Guard—Men Will Work Days and Drill Nights

The proposed scheme for the mobilization of the Canadian militia is still in embryonic condition, and has not been completely matured. Several plans have been suggested, but that which, it is believed, meets with most favor may be summed up as follows: There are over 20 urban militia regiments authorized in the militia lists, which were fairly active organizations before the war. It is proposed that these be brought back to life and recruited by the voluntary system up to the strength of 1,000 each. In doing this it is obvious that the medical examination required to ensure active service should be considerably modified so as to permit men with minor but not organic defects to enlist.

It is not contemplated that the men so enlisted leave the vocations in which they are at present engaged, as it is realized that the taking of 50,000 away from their active work would mean a considerable destruction of business and industry. The men will be mobilized in the evenings, and after being confined to the nights or else to one or two days a week. Test mobilization will be held from time to time, however.

say will also be provided for in each city. Sufficient machine gun arm or equipment will also be provided. In each regiment it is suggested that one company will be reserved for those who receive further training to assist for overseas service and who are fitted for such service. Such companies would, of course, be drafted as reinforcements from time to time, and a new company recruited.

British Gun 1000 Yards From Germans

The British carried out an attack on a two-mile front west and south of Miramont, on both sides of the Aisne, for the purpose of gaining the higher ground commanding the town, toward which the Germans retired after evacuating Grandcourt. It was estimated at corps headquarters that approximately 500 prisoners have passed back, with more expected. The British easily attained the first objective. They fired a continuous forward 300 yards of Miramont. In an effort to gain entire control of all the higher ground. The first fog for five weeks followed with the artillery, but firing still continued. One of the most daring incidents of the day's operations came near the close of the preliminary bombardment, when an artillery officer crawled out of a trench, and with a telephone, stationed himself forward in a shell hole, and directed the fire which cut the German barbed wire in places. An English sergeant, losing his way, was captured, and while being escorted back by two Germans, the British barbed wire was cut and the German sergeant and the sergeant returned to his own lines directly through the curtain of fire. He was wounded but managed to reach a dressing station unaided, where he was able to give valuable information concerning the German position.

The official report of this battle from London says: "British troops today captured German positions on a front about one and a half miles, penetrating the German defenses to a distance of about 1,000 yards and coming within close range of Petit Miramont, which lies to the northeast of Grandcourt, on the Aisne front in France."

Canadian women and children desiring to visit Great Britain and France have been absolutely prohibited from doing so. An order-in-council has been passed by the cabinet which forbids all Canadian business profits to be sent abroad through the submarine barred zone. The order, it is understood, is without qualification, and has been made at the instance of the imperial authorities. Similar action has been taken by Australia and India.

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HAVE THE ELECTION.

In the legislature last week the opposition proposed that the life of the present government be extended for one year. The object was to do away with the possibility of an election during the war. The government went one better and asked that it be extended two years, otherwise they would call on "a general election."

Of course, now-a-days, we do not expect the governments to take any suggestions from the opposition, no more than we expect the opposition to be pleased with anything the government does. As a result very wide differences of opinion are expressed by our politicians and their party press regarding a provincial election at the present time.

From the Review's point of view there is no need for all this fuss about an election. So far as provincial elections are concerned there is no excuse for departing from the usual custom. They have no particular business in connection with the Dominion's work in the war, consequently an election would in no way interfere with this work, no matter whether the government was defeated or sustained.

There is also far too much time being taken up in the discussion of soldiers' vote, until now it is quite evident that votes are spurring for votes instead of working in the interest of the province as a whole. This is not very complimentary to the soldiers, besides it lowers the dignity of the legislature.

There is a lot of imagination too about this old issue just at election intervals with business. Why should it? People have to be red and clothed just the same through an election campaign as before and after one, and the same can be said of all lines of business. A merchant in the States proved the fallacy of this belief during the recent presidential campaign there. He was a new comer and had not heard that business was interfered with during elections. When the travelers called on him he ordered as usual. His opponent across the street was who had laughed up his sleeve at the newcomer's folly? His new goods arrived at the new-comer's store and so did the customers. He has no opposition now.

Yes, let us have the election in the same old way. Let the provincial governments live up to the motto "business as usual."

FAIRM HELP.

A big conference under the direction of the national service directors will be held in Winnipeg next week for the purpose of dealing with the farm help problem in Manitoba. This conference will be composed of the manufacturers, bankers and other business men of the city and they are meeting to try to work out some scheme whereby men employed in manufacturing plants and other lines may be released in the spring to help the farmers with seeding operations.

The word indicates that the leaders of the business world of that province anticipate a very serious dearth of farm help this spring, and also that they real-

ize the benefit of good crops to all lines of business.

This action of the part of Winnipeg business men should be taken as a suggestion to get busy along this line at the earliest possible moment.

In the past we have relied on help from the east for this purpose. Even under normal conditions we had some difficulty in getting our share, as these men were taken off the trains at different points in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and as a result a very small percentage ever reached Alberta. This year it will be worse. Few if any will come from the east and it is a safe bet that none of them will get this far west.

Any scheme, therefore, to help solve the problem for this district would now be quite in order.

PRISONERS' FUND.

For some time the Red Cross Society canvassers have been collecting for the prisoners' fund, but owing to some changes in the regulations regarding sending parcels to prisoners of war some contributors to this fund appear to think it is discontinued. This is not the case. The changes in the regulations only refer to parcels which now have to go through the Red Cross Society.

In the past the parcels sent by private individuals had to be consigned in England to see that they contained nothing but goods allowed to be sent into belligerent countries. This meant a great deal of extra work. To obviate this it is suggested that money be sent direct to the society's representatives. They in turn purchase the necessary goods wholesale and forward one parcel a week to each prisoner. This has a double advantage over the old way. First the soldiers get what they most need, and secondly, instead of one prisoner getting possibly half a dozen parcels and others get none, all are treated to at least one parcel a week and a special one once a month.

It is hoped the contributors will continue their contributions to this fund.

TO HELP FARMERS.

The Canadian banks have been accused of retarding the development of the western livestock industry by their unwillingness to give credit to farmers to buy stock. How this belief ever came to have wide acceptance is beyond the understanding of Mr. Vere Brown, superintendent of the western branches of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. In a recent article in the Grain Growers' Guide, and just issued in pamphlet form, Mr. Brown says that the farmer, owning livestock, or even wishing to own stock, has always been viewed with special appreciation by banks. In 19 cases out of 20 a farmer's desire to buy stock is evidence of more than average industry, and creates a strong presumption in favor of his being a desirable credit risk.

Some of the banks have for several years been systematically canvassing good grain farmer customers in stock districts in an effort to get them started in livestock, until while the consumption of grain grows to mixed farmers has been a disappointing slow process, this has not been because of any unwillingness of the banks to furnish credit to any men at all worthy of credit.

On top of this comes the announcement from Edmonton that at the present session of the legislature the government will introduce a measure which will have for its object the encouraging of raising livestock by farmers throughout the province. In outlining the bill Hon. Duncan Marshall said the government would help homestead-

ers on small farms to buy cattle and stock on his business.

Although Alberta, and particularly central and southern Alberta, are good grain countries, they can also excel for livestock and the province cannot become really successful agricultural province without it. This being the case the farm of Alberta cannot now with the banks and government behind them, have any excuse for not doing their share in helping to make this one of the very best agricultural districts in the world.

No doubt in the hope of discouraging dealing with catalogue houses, merchants in a neighboring city have been distributing bills around here lately, advising people to deal at home. We hope the people around here will remember when they read those advertisements that this is their home and that they will follow the advice on the posters. By dealing with the stores in neighboring cities you are helping just that much to build up that city. If, dealing "at home" you are helping to build up your own home town and making it a better place in which to live.

The imperial government has passed an act forbidding women and children from the Dominions landing in the British Isles. Probably the Imperial authorities have heard that the women's section of the Grain Growers Association down in Saskatchewan are trying to arrange to get women laborers in the harvest fields in that province.

The provincial elections take place down in New Brunswick next Saturday. There are forty-eight constituencies and each party has nominated a candidate for each constituency. That's the way to run a general election.

It is now beginning to look as though the women of Ontario are going to get votes. This is another proof that the wild and woolly east is getting more civilized every year.

The price of flour keeps on soaring up every day. If it goes much higher we will have to get a new song to replace that old one about "I knead thee every hour."

A GREAT COMET COMING.

Those who remember the Halley comet of a number of years ago, will be interested to know the world will witness next spring another great heavenly phenomenon—a mighty comet blazing forth right after night with its tail sweeping an immense arc through the heavens, a source of terror to the superstitious and of intense interest to all. The statement that a new comet will be a disaster rests principally on the fact that it was discovered when fully 400,000,000 miles from the earth, just within the orbit of the great planet Jupiter. In a few months it should be visible to the naked eye in certain parts of the earth. At present the comet is approaching the earth at the rate of more than 1,000,000 miles a day, but not in direct line. It is now about 300,000,000 miles away.

PROTECTING COMMERCE.

The practice of making public the destinations and manifests of merchant ships leaving American ports to be discontinued during the crisis with Germany as a step in the protection of the American interests from the German submarine campaign. No word as to pay for the extra vessel sail or the cargo she carries will be made public by the government officials who grant clearance and great merchant fleet carrying American commerce abroad will come and go with all the secrecy of war vessels in time of war. This decision of the treasury department will be made effective at once as a measure of precaution.

Friedrich C. Penfold, United States ambassador at Vienna, is said by Reuters' Amsterdam correspondence to have delivered to the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister a request for a clear and final declaration of Austria-Hungary's attitude regarding submarine warfare.

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REDCLIFF, AND MEDICINE HAT.

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mayor Bott, W. T. Lockwood, and R. R. Stoner left for Edmonton last Tuesday on business.

Hot meals served at the Home Cooking Store. Try us for your mid-day meal.

This month's Gazette announces the appointment of W. H. Hatcher of this town as Justice of the Peace.

STRETSON HATS—Brunswick suit, shapen, black, for spring; \$5.00 at Broadway Department Store.

The Misses McKelvie, sisters of F. McKelvie, are spending the week in town visiting their brother. They are on their way west.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stoner returned last Sunday from Minneapolis where they have been for the past three weeks.

Going out of business. This means boots at their own price at Fairbairn's Shoe Store.

Our new stock of Gosard Corsets are in now. They lace in front. Also new stock of C. C. Le Grace back laces. The two makes in Canada, Gibson & Tupper.

Only a few foreigners attended the first session of the night school last Monday. However it is expected that the attendance will increase as the class proceeds.

The killing mills here has received another big order from the coast for twisted restaurant bars. The plans was undergoing some revision last week but is now running full force again with 146 of a staff.

If you are in need of boots call around to Fairbairn's big 10-day sale.

G. Percy Cole, of the head office of the Dominion Glass Company, of Montreal, was in town for a few days this week on business in connection with the plant here.

A. R. Goodline with his wife and family arrived in town last Saturday and proceeded to their new home northwest of here. Mr. Goodline has bought the old Hutton farm. He brought with him a car load of stock and effects and intends going to farming on a large scale.

The whist drive and social evening given by the ladies of St. Ambrose church, in the parish hall last Monday evening was a great success. There was a large crowd of young people in attendance and a most enjoyable evening was spent. In the whist drive Mrs. G. McKay won the first prize and J. Pepper the gent's prize. Mrs. E. E. Root acted as a gentleman and won the booby prize in that class. Miss Finlay won the ladies' booby.

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Shelf Oilcloth, scolloped edge fancy pattern and plain 2 yds for 25c
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Washing Machines
McClary's Thermo \$51.98
\$60.00 Sewing Machines
For \$32.50
Made by White Sewing Machine Co. and Guaranteed
Stove Pipes, 3 in. 2 for 25c

Clearing out sale of boots and shoes at Fairbairn's. See our adv. ***
New silk and voile blouses at Gibson & Tupper's. ***

Children are now allowed to attend the lectures as usual. The embargo has been lifted.

Mrs. Geo. Gibson, who has been suffering from an attack of measles, is now recovering.

Rev. H. C. R. Gibson of St. Ambrose church was in Alderson last week arranging to hold services in that town during the Lent.

At a meeting of representatives of all companies handling life insurance in western Canada, held in Regina, it was decided that no increase should be made in the rate of 6 per cent.

As a result of action taken by Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, a plentiful supply of seed, oats, purchased in the west, has been provided for Ontario and Quebec.

Thos. Murray, at one time engineer at the pumping station here, was accidentally killed in Medicine Hat last Tuesday. He was driving a team of horses when the wagon upset, pinning him underneath the box. His neck was broken and he died immediately.

In a letter from Lieut. Woodcock this week he stated that he had a foot completely recovered from the effects of the gas and that it was not necessary for him to go to Nice as he expected. He said his recovery was more rapid than his physician anticipated and that he expected to be able to return to his work in the near future.

The afternoon tea given last Tuesday by the Home Cooking Store in aid of the Red Cross society was not as well patronized as it should have been, and as a result the donation to the society was not as large as was anticipated. Those who, were present, however, enjoyed a substantial, mid-day meal or light refreshments during the afternoon. The store handed over \$5.05 to the society.

The flint glass workers in connection with the glass plant here have made arrangements to give a dance in Reid's hall on Friday evening of this week, and the proceeds from the dance are to go to the Red Cross society. O'Fallon's orchestra will supply the music and the tickets are only \$1.00 per couple. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock promptly. Refreshments will be served. The boys deserve great praise for undertaking this work and their dance should be well patronized.

SUBSCRIBE NOW FOR THE REDCLIFF REVIEW.

W. J. Fairbairn, who has been conducting a boot and shoe business here, intends discontinuing his store and in selling out his entire stock at greatly reduced prices.

The Presbytery meets at St. John's church, Medicine Hat, on Tuesday next at 9.30 a. m. The co-operative

committee of the Methodist and Presbyterian meets on the same day at 2 p. m. This committee settles all arrangements concerning fields that are left by the old church to the other.

The Dominion department of agriculture is adopting all means to encourage an earnest and widespread effort towards maximum crop production this year. Efforts are being made to reach all actual or potential producers by every available channel, and to impress upon them the necessity for devoting their full energies to the production of foodstuffs.

Gentlemen, call in at Gibson & Tupper's and see the new spring and summer samples of men's made-to-measure suits, overcoats, trousers and caps.

BIRTH.
JOHNSON—In Winnipeg, on Saturday, February, 17th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson, of Redcliff, a daughter.

LOST—On Sunday evening, single stone diamond ring, 18k gold setting, on First street to postoffice, alone Broadway to Third street or on Third street between Broadway and Railroad. Return to Review office for reward.

AT
FRED ODLIN'S FURNITURE STORE
SEWING MACHINES
New Williams, Goodrich and Eldrich, From
\$10.00 to \$24.00
Washing Machines, Wringers, Bed Steads, Mattresses, Springs
At as Low or Lower than they can be bought anywhere, either in town or out of town
Drop in and see me any time from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Garage and Repair Shop
I have opened up for business in this line in the old City Garage, Third street, just north of the Redcliff Hotel, and am prepared to attend to all class of work in this line. Agents for
Fords And McLaughlin-Buick
Call and see us if you want to buy a car or have one to be repaired.
The White Star Line
Is the name of our passenger service between here and Medicine Hat. Cars run regularly.
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MEN'S WORK BOOTS Made from Good, Heavy Leather, Wide Fitting Durable and Strong..... **\$3.75 to \$4.50**
Underwear, Odd Pants, Fine and Work Shirts, Hats, Caps, Mitts and Gloves
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NEW GOODS AT KEATS' GROCERY
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Including Strawberry, Raspberry, Peach, Plum, Pear, Greenage, Cherry, Red Currant, Black Currant and Apple. Red and Black Currant and Apple Jelly.
SEEDS
For the garden just arrived. Now is the time to make your selections. Renny's, Ferry's, McKenzie's and Steel Brigg's to choose from
We have also added to our stock a fine assortment of
Crockery and Glassware
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THE PIONEER GROCER
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Is Now Ready To Do Your Repair Work
Anyone wanting Automobiles overhauled, and cleaned up ready for the spring would do well to see us at once. All 20 cars in the possession of our garage for first-class repair men who have had five and ten years' experience along these lines. We will also repair Gas and Engines and Thrashing Machines.
Don't Forget Our Auto Service
Which runs between Redcliff and Medicine Hat on the regular time schedule. Leaves Redcliff at 9 o'clock every morning except Sunday, and runs every two hours.
Special trips arranged for by phone calls.
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JAN. 8, 1917
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